

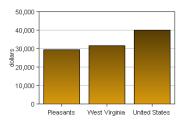
Pleasants, West Virginia

Pleasants is one of 55 counties in West Virginia. It is part of the Parkersburg-Marietta-Vienna, WV-OH (Metropolitan Statistical Area). Its 2008 population of 7,441 ranked 50th in the state.

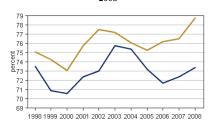
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2008 Pleasants had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$29,484. This PCPI ranked 24th in the state and was 93 percent of the state average, \$31,634, and 73 percent of the national average, \$40,166. The 2008 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.4 percent from 2007. The 2007-2008 state change was 5.0 percent and the national change was 2.0 percent. In 1998 the PCPI of Pleasants was \$20,032 and ranked 16th in the state. The 1998-2008 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

Per Capita Personal Income, 2008



Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States, 2008



West Virginia Pleasants

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

	2007-08 percent change	1998-2008 AAGR				
Pleasants	2.9 %	3.7 %				
West Virginia	5.2 %	4.4 %				
U.S.	2.9 %	5.0 %				
AAGR: average annual growth rate						

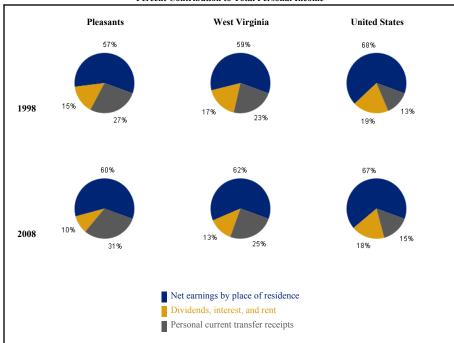
In 2008 Pleasants had a total personal income (TPI) of \$219,394*. This TPI ranked 48th in the state and accounted for 0.4 percent of the state total. In 1998 the TPI of Pleasants was \$151,921* and ranked 48th in the state.

*Note: Total personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Pleasants.

Percent Contribution to Total Personal Income



2007-2008 percent change					
	Pleasants	West Virginia	U.S.		
Net earnings	0.9 %	5.0 %	2.0 %		
Dividends, interest, and rent	4.2 %	2.6 %	1.3 %		
Personal current transfer receipts	6.5 %	7.2 %	9.2 %		

1998-2008 average annual growth rate					
	Pleasants	West Virginia	U.S.		
Net earnings	4.1 %	4.9 %	4.8 %		
Dividends, interest, and rent	- 1.0 %	1.4 %	4.2 %		
Personal current transfer receipts	5.1 %	5.2 %	6.7 %		